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For: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING  
8-CHLORO-3( $\beta$ -DIETHYLAMINOETHYL)-4-  
METHYL-7-ETHOXYCARBONYL-METHOXY  
COUMARIN BASE AND THE SALTS THEREOF,  
WITH CHOLESTEROL-LOWERING ACTIVITY

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Sir:

Pursuant to the PTO-948 Form, Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, attached to the August 21, 2002 Office Action, attached hereto are three (3) sheets of corrected Formal Drawings. Please substitute these corrected drawings for the corresponding three (3) sheets of drawings on file in the above-identified application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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